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Lucian — his
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y, June 2nd—
Lucian. Terence —
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s to be an
interesting play.
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— 2nd book of the
Georgics, which
begins
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Bacchus; it,
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sleepy lecture on
grafting boughs
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Lucretius;
but it is the
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